

1895-022 Chancery Causes: Margaret Craig vs John Sisk &  
Lee Co

Mursey, Osbourne, Johnson, Smith, Hamblen, Goins

CA-Debt  
T-Property



To The Hon<sup>ble</sup> S. H. Morrison Judge  
of The Circuit-Court for said County.

Humbly complaining your  
petitioner for herself and all others  
alike interested would respectfully  
represent unto your Honor that  
one Timothy Sisk about a year  
ago departed this life intestate seized  
of a lot or parcel of land lying &  
being in the town of Jonesville, and  
known in the plot and plan of said  
town as lot No. —; that said  
Sisk was never married, so that his  
brothers and sisters and their descendants  
are his heirs; that on his death he  
had none or at least very little personal  
estate and that the estate of said  
Sisk by the order of the County Court has  
been committed to A. B. Mincey, Admr.  
of said decedent.

Your petitioner further  
show and allege that on the death  
of said Sisk, he was indebted to your  
petitioner in a large sum of money, to-  
wit \$500<sup>00</sup>; See exhibit "A". Here-  
filed and prayed to be considered as  
a part of her bill; that he was  
indebted, divers other people but  
the amounts and persons to whom  
due are not fully known by her  
to make them parties to this bill;  
that her said claim is just true and  
unpaid, and that the personal effects of  
said Sisk is wholly insufficient to  
pay her said debt or any other of his



creditors.

Your oratrix will further  
show into your honor that said  
Timothy Sisk had Eight Brothers  
and Sisters three of whom died  
before the said Timothy and without  
issue, two sisters of whom died  
before the said Timothy leaving issue  
but their names, ages and number are  
unknown to your oratrix, the names of  
these two sisters were Rachael, who married  
a man by the name of John F. Johnson, and  
Polly Ann, who married a man by the  
name of \_\_\_\_\_ Smith and surviving  
him a brother John Sisk and two sisters,  
to wit, Mary, who married G. W. Osborne,  
and Matilda, who was married twice  
and whose last husband is unknown,  
and that these parties are all non-res-  
idents of the state of Va.

Now with the representations aforesaid  
your oratrix is advised that she is  
entitled to have the creditors of said  
decedent convened, his assets marsh-  
aled and her said claim paid out  
of the same.

Hence the prayer of your oratrix  
is that your honor take cognizance  
of her said cause, that John Sisk,  
Mary Osborne, G. W. Osborne, Matilda  
\_\_\_\_\_ Sisk, the unknown heirs  
of Polly Ann Smith, also the unknown  
heirs of Rachael Johnson, and A. B.  
Muney Admr. of the estate of said



Timothy Sisk be made parties defen-  
dants to this bill; that they be re-  
quired to answer the same on oath,  
that an order of publication be made  
against said non-resident defendant  
that on a final hearing of this cause  
judgment be pronounced in favor of your brother  
for her said debt; that an account be  
taken of the assets and liabilities of  
said estate; and that all such other  
further and general relief be granted  
your brother as the nature of her cause  
may demand, May process issue &c.  
And she will ever pray &c.

Oremington & Goring

J. G.



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Munsey Clerk \$3.76  
 Paid off by M.C.  
 Parsons & M.  
 Spencer at #4  
 Sept. 19, 1892

A. M. Lewis  
 Secy.

Margaretta vs. Bill in Equity

John Sickel et al.  
 1891, 1st Upon Rules Bill  
 filed & accepted  
 by James H. & D. W.  
 under pub. & court  
 order  
 1892, 2nd Upon Rules and  
 pub. completed D.W.  
 Paul & C. W. set  
 hearing by Judge  
 at 10 o'clock Dec. 10, 1892  
 account of court  
 by James H. & D. W.  
 under pub. & court  
 order

Decree final Nov. 9/1895



Margarett Craig  
vs  
John Sisk et al } In Chy.

This cause came on this day again to be heard upon the papers formerly read therein and the report of A. M. Goins, who was on a former day of this term appointed a Special Court. for the purpose of making and executing a deed to M. C. Parsons and M. B. Spencer, the purchasers of the land and premises in this cause, and was argued by counsel. On consideration of all which and for reasons appearing to the court, and there being filed with said report a deed made by said Goins, Court as aforesaid, to said M. C. Parsons and M. B. Spencer, with covenants of special warranty, to the land and premises purchased by them in this cause, and there being no exceptions to said report and deed, it is therefore adjudged, ordered and decreed that said report and deed be and the same are hereby confirmed. And all matters in controversy in this cause having been fully adjusted the same is hereby stricken from the docket.

"H"



Margarett Craig

vs { Decree <sup>M.</sup> final.

John Sisk et al.

C.B.P. 250

Enter this Decree,  
 this Nov. 8, 1898.



Margarett Craig  
vs. } In Chy  
John Sisk et al.

This cause came on again this day to be heard upon the papers formerly read therein and the report of Cour. A. M. Goins, filed therein Oct. 26<sup>th</sup> 1895, and was argued by counsel. On consideration of all which, and it appearing from said report of Cour. Goins that he has collected the purchase money notes held by him arising from the sale of the land and premises in the bill and proceeding mentioned in this cause, and that he has properly disbursed said purchase money, it is therefore adjudged, ordered and decreed that said report and disbursements be and the same are hereby confirmed.

And said A. M. Goins, who is hereby appointed a Special Cour. for the purpose, will make and execute to said purchasers, W. C. Parsons and M. B. Spencer, a deed, with covenants of Special warranty, to the lands and premises purchased by them in this cause. It is further decreed that Cour. Goins shall be entitled to the sum of \$5<sup>00</sup> for



Margaret Craig

vs Decree

John Sisk et al.

O.B.O. 247

Enter this decree,  
M. M.  
this Nov. 9, 1895,

Making and executing a deed to said  
M. C. Parsons and M. B. Spencer, The purchasers  
of said land and premises, and  
that said deed shall not be withdrawn  
from the files of this suit until said  
sum is paid to said Court, for making  
said deed.

Said Court. Goins will report  
his action to this court at a  
future day of this term, and this  
cause is continued.

—H—



Margaret Craig Comptch

vs.

John Dick et al

} In Chancery

This cause came on again this day to be again heard upon the papers formerly read therein, and the report of Court. A. M. Goines of the sale of the house & lot in the bill & proceedings filed therein on October 13th 1892, and said report having been filed in said cause for more than ten days before the first day of this term of the court and is unexpected to, it is adjudged, ordered and decreed that said report & sale be and the same is hereby confirmed. And this cause is continued.



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Enter this  
March 8 1893.





Margarette Craig Campbell

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In Charge

John Sisk et al vs Flo

This Cause came on again this day to be heard upon the papers formerly read therein and the report of Comr. St. C. Joslyn filed in said cause on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 1892, and ~~said report~~ <sup>given in</sup> ~~being~~ <sup>and so</sup> ~~it is~~ <sup>it is</sup> adjudged, ordered and decreed that the same be and is hereby confirmed; It is further adjudged, ordered and decreed that said plaintiff recover from A. B. Munsey admr. of the estate of said Timothy Sisk the sum of \$380.<sup>00</sup> with legal interest thereon from March 21<sup>st</sup> 1891 till paid and the costs of this suit and that likewise all the <sup>mentioned in exhibit & filed with said report</sup> ~~one dollar~~ recover from said Munsey the several sums of money shown therein to be due; It is further ordered, adjudged & decreed that if said sums of money & the costs of this suit within 30 days from this date be not paid, then A. W. Gins, who is hereby appointed a special Comr. for the purpose will after advertising the time, terms and place of sale for 30 days by written or printed notices posted at such places as he may deem proper, proceed to sell the house and lot known as lot 30 in the



1 in the flat & plane of the Town of Jones  
2 ails & being the same to be decided  
3 to said Lick by <sup>John W. Morgan</sup> ~~an~~ <sup>some</sup> Court day at  
4 the front door of the Court house  
5 of Lee County, on a credit of ~~three~~  
6 and ~~twelve~~ <sup>months</sup> except a sum  
7 sufficient to pay the costs of this suit  
8 and commissions of sale, he will re-  
9 quire to be paid down, and for the resi-  
10 due he will take bonds payable to  
11 himself with good personal se-  
12 curity. But before executing  
13 the requirements of this decre said  
14 Court will execute bonds with good  
15 security before the Clerk of this  
16 Court in a penalty of \$1000.  
17 Conditions according to law.  
18 And he will ~~sign~~ <sup>sign</sup> the ~~return~~  
19 ~~of the Court~~ <sup>of the Court</sup>  
20 ~~is continued~~



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The first thing I noticed  
 when I stepped out of the car  
 was the cold. It was a  
 sharp contrast to the heat of the  
 car. I pulled my coat tighter  
 around me and walked towards  
 the entrance. The door was  
 open, and a man in a  
 uniform stood there. He  
 looked at me and then at  
 the car. I gave him a  
 nod and he opened the door  
 for me. I stepped out and  
 he closed the door behind me.  
 I walked down the steps  
 and then turned right. I  
 saw a sign that said "Exit".  
 I followed the sign and  
 came out into the street.  
 The street was busy with  
 cars and people. I looked  
 around and then saw a  
 taxi. I got in and the  
 driver took me to the  
 hotel. I paid the fare and  
 went to my room. I  
 took a shower and then  
 went to bed. I was  
 tired and fell asleep.  
 The next morning I  
 woke up and went to  
 breakfast. I ate a  
 good meal and then  
 went to the office. I  
 worked all day and  
 then went home. I  
 was happy to be back  
 home.







Entered Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> 41  
by receiving a true  
copy of the petition  
submitted to the  
Governor.

- 17<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1841



Margaret Craig  
vs.  
John Sisk et al } In Chancery

The deposition of Champ J. Hamblen  
and others, taken before me H. C.  
Doshyn a Special Commissioner,  
~~by the above styled parties~~  
~~the County of ...~~, at the office of  
Lies W. Blankenship, on the 12<sup>th</sup> day  
of May 1892, to be read as evidence  
in behalf of Margaret Craig in a  
certain suit in ~~Chancery~~ <sup>Chancery</sup>, depending in  
the Circuit Court of Lee County, Va.  
wherein Margaret Craig is Plaintiff and  
John Sisk et al are defendants.  
Champ J. Hamblen a witness  
of said ...

Quest. 1 Were you acquainted with  
the plff. and Timothy Sisk?

Ans. I was acquainted with the  
plaintiff and Timothy Sisk  
and ...

Quest 2. In the life time of said Tim-  
othy Sisk where did + with whom  
did he live for, say the last five  
years prior to his death?







Virginia Lee County Court;

J. Henry C. Foslyn a Special Commissioner in the Case of Margaret Craig vs. John Sisk & others. do hereby Certify that the foregoing deposition of Chauncy L. Heanblen was duly taken sworn to and subscribed before me at the time and place mentioned in the caption of the same.

Given under my hand this 12<sup>th</sup> day of May 1892.

J. H. C. Foslyn J. P.



Margaret Craig  
vs. John Chancery  
John Lick et al  
Deposition of  
Charles C. Hamblen

The depositions of Berry Craig taken  
before me N. C. Brewster a notary  
public for the County of Sebastian  
State of Arkansas, at nine o'clock  
in the forenoon in front of the <sup>office of Brewster and Smith</sup>  
in said County & State on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of  
May 1872, to be read as evidence  
in behalf of Margaret Craig in a  
certain suit in equity, depending in  
the Circuit Court of Sebastian County  
Ark., wherein Margaret Craig is  
plaintiff and John Sisk et al are  
defendants;

The witness Berry Craig being  
duly sworn, deposes as follows:

Ques. 1<sup>st</sup> Were you acquainted with  
the plaintiff and Timothy Sisk?

Ans. I was.

Ques. 2<sup>nd</sup> In the life time of said  
Timothy Sisk where did & with  
whom did he live?

Ans. He lived for several years in  
the town of Jonesville, Sebastian County,  
Ark., and made his home with  
the plaintiff, the said Margaret  
Craig. He was living with her  
at the time of his death.

Ques. 3<sup>rd</sup> State how long he lived  
with Mrs. Margaret Craig.

Ans. Something over thirty years

Ques. 4<sup>th</sup> State what he was  
reasonably worth at the time of his death.



Timothy Sick per annum <sup>for year</sup>  
Mrs. It was worth One Hundred and Fifty  
Ques. 5<sup>th</sup> While said Timothy  
lived & boarded with Mrs. Craig,  
state if he ever paid her any  
thing; if so how much, and  
when he last paid her any  
thing?

Ams. He never paid her any thing to my knowledge.

Ques. 6<sup>th</sup> While said Timothy lived  
with said Mrs. Craig, state who  
furnished the supplies & board  
the house & for the use of the  
family?

Ams. Mrs. Margaret Craig

Ques. 7<sup>th</sup> Did you ever hear any  
conversation between said Margaret  
& Timothy concerning his paying  
for his board; if so who was it?

Ams. I have heard conversations  
between <sup>the said</sup> Margaret and Timothy on  
different occasions but did not  
pay any particular attention at the  
time and consequently cannot  
remember the import of the  
conversations. It was my tender  
hearing between both of said par-  
ties that said Timothy was to pay  
said Mrs. Craig for keeping and  
boarding said Timothy

And further this deponent saith  
well.

Berry Coraey

Arkansas,

County of Sebastian to-wit:

I A. C. Breckin a notary  
public for the County of Sebastian  
in the said State, do hereby Certify that  
the foregoing depositions of Berry  
Coraey were duly taken, sworn to,  
and subscribed before me at the  
time and place and for the purposes  
therein mentioned.

Given under my hand, <sup>seal</sup> this 5<sup>th</sup>  
day of May 1892.

A. C. Breckin

N. P.

My commission

expired August 25<sup>th</sup> 1892.



The making of this deposition is  
 excepted to because it does not  
 show any contract to pay board  
 by Trinity Sick - But upon the contrary  
 it shows these people man or woman  
 lived together for thirty years without  
 any accounting to gether, or any contract  
 to pay board

A. J. [unclear]

for custody of

Trinity Sick

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 123 Dr. [unclear]  
 John Sick & [unclear]

Deposition  
 Berry Craig

E. W. PENNINGTON,  
Attorney-at-Law.

Jonesville, Va, 10-20 1891

Virginia:-

Her beauty, to wit:-

This is the only

one - A. M. Young

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\$15.00

Received of J. M. Lewis, Comr.  
the sum of fifteen dollars  
for my fee as attorney in the case of  
Margarette Lemig vs. John Dick et al  
this Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 1872,  
P. M. Ingram & Co.

A. L. 69 Received of J. M. Lewis, Comr.  
in the case of Margarette Lemig  
vs. John Dick et al a sum of  
one & 60<sup>th</sup> dollars and fees  
for my fee as attorney in the case of  
Margarette Lemig vs. John Dick et al  
this Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 1872,  
P. M. Ingram & Co.

\$15.00

Received of J. M. Lewis, Comr.  
the sum of fifteen dollars and  
fee as attorney in the case of  
Margarette Lemig vs. John Dick et al  
this Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 1872,  
P. M. Ingram & Co.

\$19.05

Received of J. M. Lewis, Comr.  
the sum of nineteen dollars and five cents,  
for my fee as Commissioner  
in the case of Margarette Lemig vs.  
John Dick et al this Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 1872,  
P. M. Ingram & Co.



Marquette Lenoir  
June 10 1861.

Dear Sir

I have the honor  
to acknowledge the  
receipt of your letter  
of the 10th inst.

and in reply to  
inform you that the  
same has been forwarded  
to the proper authorities  
for their consideration.





Margarette Craig  
vs. } In Chy.  
John Dick & als. }

To the Hon. W. F. Miller, Judge  
of the Circuit Court for Lee County  
Virginia;

Your undersigned Special  
Commr. here reports that the two  
notes, dated Sept. 19<sup>th</sup>, 1892, payable  
in one and two years respectively, and  
each for the sum of \$179.38, executed  
to him as said Commr. by M. C.  
Parsons and M. B. Spencer for the  
purchase price of the land and  
premises in the bill and proceedings  
mentioned in the above styled  
cause, have both been paid  
to him in full, and he has  
disbursed the same to the par-  
ties to whom it is shown to  
be due by Commr. H. C. Joslyn's  
report filed in this cause  
May 26, 1892.

Respectfully submitted, this  
Oct. 26, 1893.

A. M. Goris,  
Special Commr.



Margarette Craig  
vs } In Chancery

John Sisk et als.

Courier's Report  
of Payment of Notes.

Filed Oct. 26, 1895.

A B Munsey, Clerk



Margaret Braig  
vs  
John Sisk et al } In lhy.

To the Hon. W. F. Miller, Judge  
of the Circuit Court for Lee Co., Va.  
Your undersigned Special  
Commr. here reports, in pursuance  
of a decree entered in this cause  
on a former day of this term, ap-  
pointing him a Commr. for the purpose  
of making and executing to M. C.  
Parsons and M. B. Spencer, with cov-  
enants of special warranty, a deed,  
conveying to them the land and prem-  
ises purchased by them in this cause,  
that he has made and executed said  
deed and here files the same marked  
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All of which is respectfully sub-  
mitted this Nov 1895,

A. M. Goins,  
Special Commr.

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Margaretta Craig

vs. { Comis Report

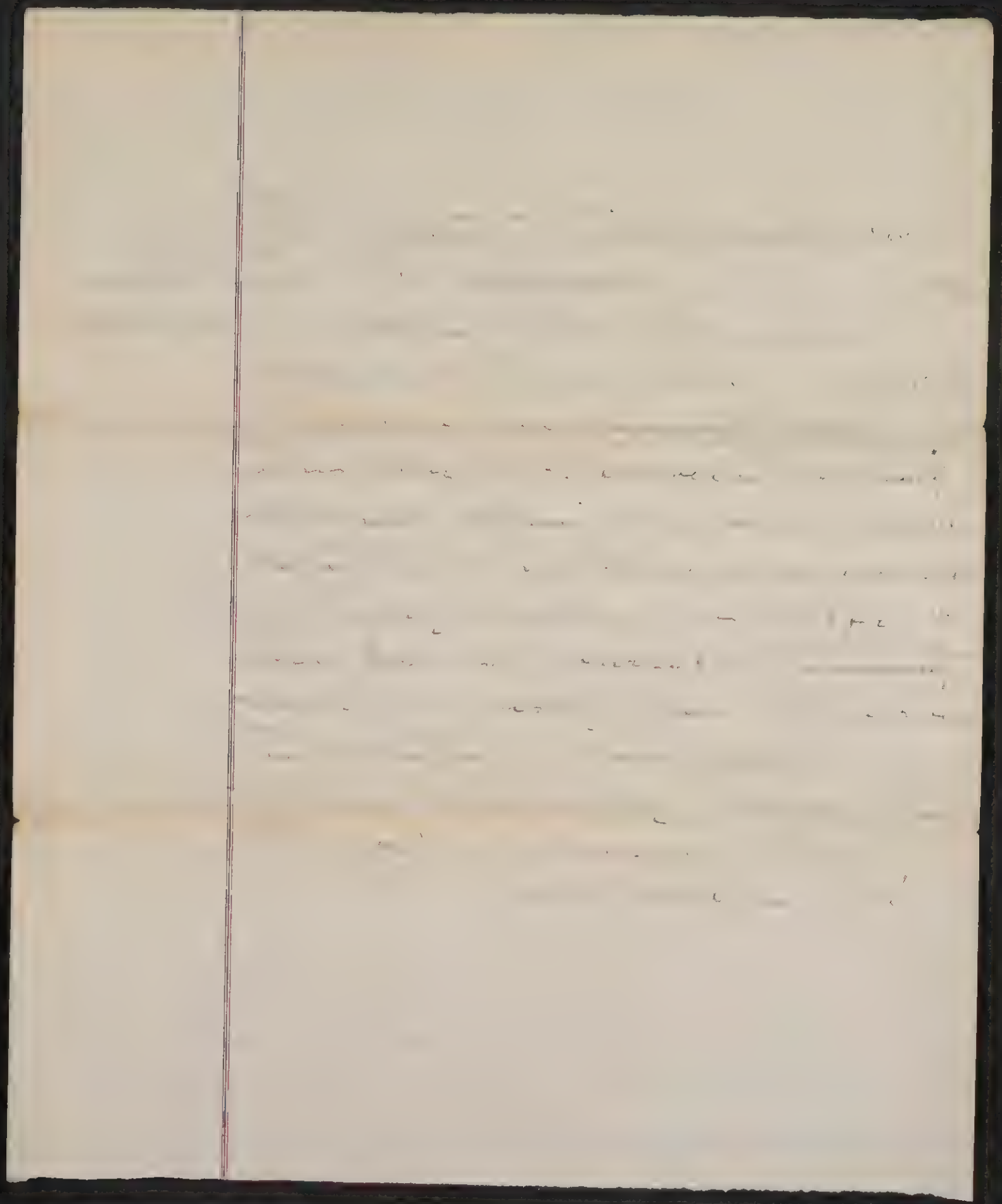
John Sisk et al.

Filed Nov. 8<sup>th</sup> 1895

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## STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT

Jonesville, Va, Nov. 27 1891  
 Mr. Timothy Sisk dec. Estate

To **M. B. SPENCER, M. D.** Dr.

1890

FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION. Self

Sept	22	To 1 visit self Delirium tremens	1 00
"	23	To 2 visits self	2 00
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1891			
march	5	To 1 visit self Delirium tremens	1 00
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Inventory. Sir is due. 21/10.

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the original + the original in the paper to  
submit to a court of law & justice

VIRGINIA, Lee County--To Wit

To S. H. Bales

Constable of said County

I HEREBY COMMAND YOU TO SUMMON

Timothy Lisk

to appear at my office in said County, on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1884; to set to me or such other Justice of said County as may then be there to try this Warrant to answer the complaint of

Mr. B. D. Lane

and up in a claim for money not exceeding \$10000 exclusive of interest, to wit: for the

sum of \$14<sup>25</sup> due by Note.

And then and there make return of this Warrant given under my hand the 14<sup>th</sup>

day of April 1884

H. C. Jordan J. P.

Timothy Lisk

AGAINST

On the 28<sup>th</sup> day of April 1884

In Debt

At Jonesville in said County.

JUDGMENT That the Plaintiff recover of the Defendant \$ 2<sup>00</sup> with interest thereon from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of

March 1872 till paid: and \$6<sup>00</sup> for costs

H. C. Jordan J. P.

VIRGINIA, Lee County--To wit:--To

S. H. Bales

Constable of said County

I command you in the name of the Commonwealth of Virginia, that of the goods and chattles of Timothy Lisk

in your county, you cause to be made the sum of \$ 12<sup>25</sup> with interest thereon from the 1<sup>st</sup> day of March

1872 till paid: which Mr. B. D. Lane has recovered before me in a warrant in debt and also

the sum of \$ 6<sup>00</sup> which were adjudged to the said Timothy Lisk for the costs in prosecuting

said warrant Given under my hand the 28<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1884

1884

H. C. Jordan J. P.

This Cause is continued until  
the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 1884.

Given under my hand this May 22<sup>d</sup> 1884.

H. B. Folsom J. P.

This case is continued until August  
28<sup>th</sup> 1884. Given under my hand  
17<sup>th</sup> 1884. H. B. Folsom J. P.

W. B. S. Davis  
vs  
Mervant  
Trusty, etc

1884 vs at Court House for  
Apparatus

Justice vs vs vs

do

Court  
Costs 1.90

Joint Bond 3 days 1.50

Line Mount 3 1.50

John Thompson 3 1.50

T. 1.50

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Clerk

(W. B. S. Davis) vs 6<sup>th</sup> day of September 1884.

W. B. S. Davis vs The said - another sick - and  
another sick - an appeal from my judgment in this  
cause, and rendered S. H. Winter and William  
Shindle as his surety, who thereupon undertook  
as his surety for the payment of the said judgment  
and all costs and damages, in case the said  
he affirmed. an appeal is granted the said  
Sick from the said judgment, to the next term  
of the Court. Given under my hand  
this 22<sup>nd</sup> 1884. H. B. Folsom J. P.

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1886 June 20,

M. B. L. Luce

no

Timothy Sis 16

no payment for \$12<sup>75</sup> 100

with interest from March

19<sup>th</sup> 1872 till paid to the estate

paid before p. \$6 40, C. \$2 34 1

4, \$1.25 sub. of to the credit of

\$10.25 as of Oct 25, 1884

add for \$ 5<sup>00</sup> 11

account of the estate of M. B. L. Luce



Ms. B. 1. 1. 1.

vs { Copy of  
the

Trinity

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# The Commonwealth of Virginia,

**To the Sheriff of Lee County--Greeting:**

WE COMMAND YOU to summon

to appear before the Judge of our County Court of Lee County, at the Court House, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of the \_\_\_\_\_

Term next, to testify and the truth to speak in behalf of \_\_\_\_\_

in certain matters of controversy in our said Court between \_\_\_\_\_

Plaintiff, and

Defendant. And this \_\_\_\_\_ shall in no wise omit under the penalty of Twenty Dollars. And have then and there this Writ. Witness, JOHN R. GIBSON, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of Sept, 1887, in the 10<sup>th</sup> year of the Commonwealth

**Clerk.**

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# The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the Sheriff of Lee County--Greeting:

WE COMMAND YOU to summon Frank Barnett, John Chapman  
Elkanah Stewart & Saml. Stewart  
Plaintiffs

to appear before the Judge of our County Court of Lee County, at the Court House, on the 1st day of the

Oct. Term next, to testify and the truth to speak in behalf of Samuel Sick  
in certain matters of controversy in our said Court between Samuel Sick Defendant

Plaintiff, and

Mr. B. L. Lane Defendant

Defendant. And this they shall in no wise omit under the penalty of Twenty Dollars And have then and there  
this Writ Witness, JOHN R GIBSON, Clerk of our said Court, at the Court House, the 11 day of

Oct. 1884 in the 107th year of the Commonwealth

John R. Gibson, Clerk.

Timothy Sick  
vs' } Lpa

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M. B. V. Larue To

Timothy Sisk

Dr

1872	To	2 days Killin Hogs at \$1.00 per <sup>day</sup> per	\$2.00
"	"	2 " Hauling Hay 75 <sup>c</sup>	1 50
1873	"	2 " " Logs 75 <sup>c</sup>	1 50
"	"	2 " " Hay 75 <sup>c</sup>	1 50
"	"	2 " " Killin Hogs \$1.00	2 00
"	"	4 " work at 75 <sup>c</sup> per day	3 00
"	"	6 " " in Corn 75 <sup>c</sup>	4 50
"	"	8 " by John Cray & Money at 50 <sup>c</sup> per day	4 00
74 & 75 (32)	35	" in corn & grubbing at 75 <sup>c</sup>	26 25
1873	"	2 1/2 " in Harvest at \$1.00 per day	2 50
1874	"	2 " Killin Hogs \$1.00	2 00
			<hr/> \$50.75

W. B. D. Lane  
 To } Acct

\$50.75-

This claim put  
 as an offset by the  
 defendant, but the  
 original account  
 not produced  
 Aug 28<sup>th</sup> 1884.

W. B. D. Lane - G. B.



\$6<sup>54</sup> one day after date I promise to pay  
Mr. J. Richmond Six dollars and forty one  
cents for Value Received Mairing Homestead  
and all other exemptions as to this note

Witness my hand and seal

Jan 8<sup>th</sup> 1881

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John M. Cook

Dear Sir

I have the honor  
to acknowledge the receipt  
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W. J. Abongau  
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One day after date I promise  
 to pay A. L. Price more thirty nine  
 dollars and ninety cents, and as  
 to this debt I waive the benefit  
 of my Homestead exemption  
 actually my hand & seal this May  
 30<sup>th</sup> 1887.

Timothy<sup>his</sup> Hisk  
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 John A. Graham

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A. L. P. R. 100.

One day after date I  
promise to pay A. L. Pridemore  
the sum of two dollars and  
as to this debt I waive the  
benefit of my homestead  
exemption. <sup>I give up my right to</sup> this May 25-  
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1888

June 1 By five dollars  
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del. H.D.

Virginia Bell County Court.  
This day of June 1888. The undersigned  
before the Court and made  
known to the two parties hereto  
attached one for \$3-<sup>00</sup> executed and  
May 30 1887. and one for \$10-<sup>00</sup>  
executed and the day 15<sup>th</sup> 1888  
with a credit on same of \$5-<sup>00</sup> as of  
May 25<sup>th</sup> 1888. are first due him  
and one unpaid. And the same together  
with their accumulated interest are a  
proper charge against the estate  
of the said deceased.  
Witness my hand and seal this 29<sup>th</sup>  
day of June 1888.  
J. C. Lanyon J. C.

W. S. Adams  
No. 3 Adams.

January 1915

1 Kate	39.90
Ent	11.95

1 Kate	5.00
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I enclose myself this &c to pay £1  
that in the below value received, and  
I may receive the receipt from my family  
-ruption. etc. etc. etc.  
hand & seal. Sept 22<sup>nd</sup> 1880

Witness my hand & seal. True



I assign the within note  
to W. R. Foster without any  
recourse on me. Sept. 8  
1891. E. M. Fulton.

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1891.

The Estate of Timothy Sick  
To Margaret Craig  
To Boarding, lodging, washing for  
and waiting upon Timothy Sick  
for five years up to March 2<sup>nd</sup>  
1891. the day of his death at  
the sum of \$100.<sup>00</sup> per year \$500.<sup>00</sup>

Virginia Lee County To-wit:  
This day Margaret Craig personally  
appeared before me H. C. Foslyn a  
Justice of the Peace in and for Lee  
County, and made oath that the  
above account against the estate  
of Timothy Sick is justly due her  
for Boarding, lodging, washing for  
and waiting upon, said Timothy  
for five years ending on the  
2<sup>nd</sup> day of March 1891, and that not  
one Cent upon the above account  
has ever been paid, and that she  
is justly entitled to the sum of  
five hundred dollars as shown  
in the above account.

Given under my hand this 22<sup>nd</sup>  
day of September 1891.

Henry C. Foslyn J.P.



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KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we *A. M. Gains*  
*and J. A. Syatt*

are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the sum of

*912 Thousands*

dollars, to the payment whereof, well and truly

to be made to the said Commonwealth of Virginia, we bind ourselves and each of us, our  
and each of our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these  
presents, hereby waiving the benefit of our homestead exemptions as to this obligation,  
and any claim, right, or privilege to discharge any liability arising under this bond, or by  
virtue of said office or trust, in any currency, funds counter claims or offsets other than  
legal-tender currency of United States. Sealed with our seals, and dated *1st* day  
of *July*, one thousand eight hundred and *nin*

The Condition of The Above Obligation is Such, That if the above bound

shall faithfully perform the duties of

*A. M. Gains*

*his* office or trust, as *Commissioner*

under a decree of the *ircuit* Court of the *County* of *Lee*

pronounced on the *15* day of *June*, 18*92* in the suit therein depending

under the name and style of

*Margarette Brown*

*vs John S. et al and*

*properly account for all sums of*  
*money he may receive as such Commissioner*

then this obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue:

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in the  
presence of

*A. M. Gains* (SEAL.)

*J. A. Syatt* (SEAL.)

(SEAL.)

In the Clerk's Office of the

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This day

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BREWSTER & SMITH,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

A. C. BREWSTER.  
EDGAR SMITH

Huntington, Ark., May 5 91

Pennington Station,

Pursuant to your order  
I was in a train to Boring, Texas &  
send deposition herewith

Yours truly

A. C. Brewster

- 1 Racial Sisk, married John F. who is not known  
Sister of John whose name is not known
- 2 John Sisk married
- 3 Simon Sisk
- 4 Mary Sisk, married John Sisk, who is not known
- 5 Alice Sisk, who is married to a man whose name is not known
- 6 John Sisk, who is married to a man whose name is not known
- 7 William Sisk, who is married to a man whose name is not known
- 8 Mary Ann Sisk married John Sisk, who is not known
- 9 David Sisk, who is married to a man whose name is not known

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This image shows a blank, aged, cream-colored page, likely an endpaper or flyleaf of a book. The paper has a slightly textured appearance with some faint smudges and discoloration, particularly a yellowish stain in the upper right quadrant. The left edge of the page is bound into a dark, textured cover. There is no text or other markings on the page.



# The Commonwealth of Virginia.

To The Sheriff Of Lee County Greeting:

We Command You to Summon

*J. H. B. Munger, Admin*  
*of Timothy Bisk, John Bisk,*  
*Mary Osbourne, G. W. Osbourne*  
*Matilda —, nee Bisk, The*  
*unknown heirs of Rachel Johnson*  
*and Polly Ann Smith dec'd*

To appear at the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, at the Courthouse on the first Monday  
in *November* next, being rule day to answer a bill in Chancery exhibited in our said Court  
against *them* by *Margaretto*

And have then and there this writ. Witness, J. A. G. Hyatt, Clerk of said Court at the Courthouse.

This *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* 18*91*, in the 11<sup>th</sup> year of the Commonwealth.

A Copy Teste

*J. A. G. Hyatt*  
Clerk.

(D+C)

Margaritte Emig  
vs Spain in Chay  
John Sisk et al

To 1<sup>st</sup> Appr. Rules 1891.

Not executed the  
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1891. C. E. Johnson & Co

I accept legal ser-  
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Spain in Chay this  
the 21<sup>st</sup> day of Oct 1891

A B Munnay  
Admin



VIRGINIA:—In the Clerk's Office of  
the Circuit Court of the County of Lee  
on the 20th day of October 1891.

Marguerite Craig, Plff. }  
vs. } In Chan'y.  
John Sisk et al Defs. }

The object of this suit is to recover a  
gainst the estate of Timothy Sisk dec'd  
the sum of Five hundred dollars, and to  
have an account taken of said decedents  
indebtedness.

And an affidavit having been made  
and filed that the defendants John Sisk,  
Mary Osbourne, G. W. Osbourne, Ma-  
tilda ——— *nee* Sisk, the unknown heirs  
of Rachel Johnson and Polly Smith dec'd  
are not residents of the State of Virginia,  
it is ordered that they do appear here  
within 15 days after due publication  
hereof and do what may be necessary to  
protect their interest in this suit. And  
it is further ordered that a copy hereof  
be published once a week for four weeks  
in some newspaper, and that a copy be  
forthwith posted at the front door of the  
court house of this county.

A copy—Teste:

J. A. G. HYATT Clerk

PENNINGTON & GOINS, p. q' 3-35

*J. H. Hobbs*  
I, Geo. W. Blankenship, Editor of the LEE COUNTY RE-  
PUBLICAN, a weekly newspaper published in the town of  
Jonesville, and County of Lee, hereby certify that the fore-  
going Order of Publication was duly published in the above  
named paper for four successive weeks ending *Nov.*

*14* " 1891.

*J. H. Hobbs* Editor LEE Co., REPUBLICAN

Margaret Leraig  
vs <sup>3</sup> Order Pub &  
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John Sisk et al

I certify that I  
posted an office  
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at the Court house  
doan on first day  
Novr. Term 1891. of the  
County Court and  
delivered a like copy  
to Lee County Republic  
on the 20<sup>th</sup> Oct 1891  
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J. A. Skiffitt

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